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IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph at page 5, lines 19-20 to read as follows:

wherein the molding composition of layer I is obtained by subjecting a blend comprising polyamide a) and polyamide [b)] c) to solid-phase post-condensation.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend Claim 32 as follows:

32. (Amended) A composite having two or more layers and comprising:

a layer I obtained from a molding composition comprising:

- a) from 0 to 80 parts by weight of a polyamide selected from the group consisting of PA6, PA66, PA6/66 and a mixture thereof;
- b) from 0 to 100 parts by weight of a polyamine-polyamide copolymer prepared from the following monomers:
 - α) from 0.5 to 25% by weight, based on the polyamine-polyamide copolymer, of a polyamine having at least 4 nitrogen atoms and having a number-average molecular weight M_n of at least 146 g/mol, and
 - β) a polyamide-forming monomer selected from the group consisting

of a lactam, a ω -aminocarboxylic acid, an equimolar combination of a diamine and a dicarboxylic acid and a mixture thereof; and

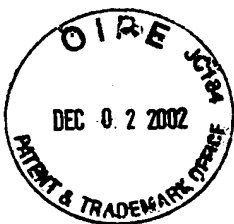
c) from 0 to 80 parts by weight of a polyamide selected from the group consisting of PA11, PA12, PA612, PA1012, PA1212 and a mixture thereof;

wherein a total of the parts by weight of components a), b) and c) is 100;

wherein at least 20 parts by weight of components a) and b) is a monomer unit which is obtained from caprolactam and/or from a combination of hexamethylenediamine/adipic acid; and

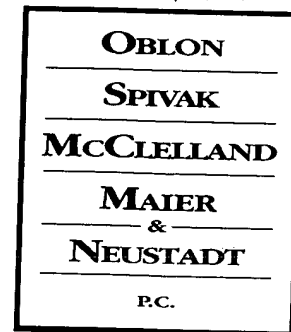
wherein at least 20 parts by weight of components b) and c) is a monomer unit which is obtained from ω -aminoundecanoic acid, laurolactam, a mixture of hexamethylenediamine and 1,12-dodecanedioic acid, a mixture of 1,10-decanediamine and 1,12-dodecanedioic acid, and/or a mixture of 1,12-dodecanediamine and 1,12-dodecanedioic acid;

wherein the molding composition of layer I is obtained by subjecting a blend comprising polyamide a) and polyamide [b)] c) to solid-phase post-condensation.



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Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

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Our check in the amount of \$-0- is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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